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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

In response to the outstanding Office Action, claim 5 has been carefully amended to claim the invention in alternate terminology that better distinguishes the invention from the prior art relied on by the Examiner. In particular, the claim has been amended to make clear that the first winding of second transformer is connected across one side of the first and second windings of the first transformer, and that the second winding of second transformer is connected across the other side of the first and second windings of the first transformer. This clearly is not found in the prior art cited by the Examiner.

Since claims 5 through 8 adequately cover the invention claimed, claims 9 and 10 have been canceled herein.

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CONCLUSION

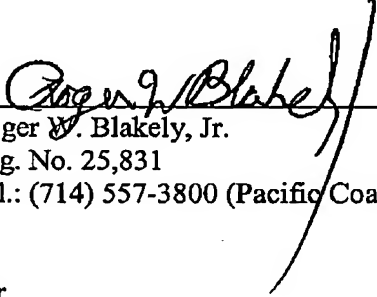
Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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